

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	MONK et al.	:	Confirmation No.:	9813
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Application No.:	10/967,431	:	Group Art Unit:	3744
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Filed:	October 18, 2004	:	Examiner:	Early, Michael Jacoby
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For:	PRESSURE EQUALIZATION SYSTEM AND METHOD			

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
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A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Response is filed in response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2006.

The **Amendments to the Specification** section begins on page 2 of this Response.

There are no **Amendments to the Claims** in this Response.

There are no **Amendments to the Drawings** in this Response.

The **Remarks/Arguments** section begins on page 3 of this Response.